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SUBJECT: SECOND SESSION - LOS CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 099357

SUMMARY: YARG SUPPORTS JULY LOS CONFERENCE AS
OUTLINED REFTEL. END SUMMARY.

1. PER REFTEL I DISCUSSED JULY LOS CONFERENCE WITH
YARG FONMIN ASNAG PM APRIL 27. HE WARMLY SUPPORTS MID-JULY
SESSION OUTLINED REFTEL AS PART OF EFFORT TO CONCLUDE AGREEMENT
TO THE TREATY THIS YEAR AND INTERRUPTED OUR
CONVERSATION TO DIRECT THAT SUCH INSTRUCTIONS BE SENT TO
YARG REP IN GENEVA.

2. HOWEVER, LIKE HUSSAIN HUBAYSHI, PRESIDENTIAL LEGAL
ADVISER AND HEAD OF YARG DELEGATION TO LOS CONFERENCE,
ASNAG TROUBLED BY STRAITS REGIME AND ASKED IF THERE WAS
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LIKELY TO BE ANY MORE FLEXIBILITY IN USG POSITION

REGARDING NOTIFICATION LITTORAL COUNTRIES, PARTICULARLY
IN CASE OF PASSAGE OF WARSHIPS. HUBAYSHI IN SEPARATE
DISCUSSION WITH DCM ALSO ASKED WHETHER TREATY MIGHT
HAVE SOME FORM ACCESSION WHICH WOULD ALLOW COUNTRIES
TO EXPRESS RESERVATIONS.

3. INCIDENTALLY, ASNAG NOTED SOVIETS PUSHING VERY HARD FOR
POSITION ALMOST IDENTICAL WITH U.S. ON STRAITS.
HUBAYSHI SAID SOVIET AMBASSADOR LOCALLY HAD TAKEN UP
ISSUE FORCEFULLY WITH YARG PRESIDENT HAMDI.
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